

to pose an unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States. The United States remains committed to a multilateral resolution of this crisis through its actions implementing the binding resolutions of the United Nations Security Council with respect to the FRY (S/M). I shall continue to exercise the powers at my disposal to apply economic sanctions against the FRY (S/M) as long as these measures are appropriate, and will continue to report periodically to the Congress on significant developments pursuant to 50 U.S.C. 1703(c).

William J. Clinton

The White House,
May 25, 1993.

White House Statement on the Situation in Guatemala

May 25, 1993

The President was very disappointed to hear that President Serrano of Guatemala has suspended the Congress and courts and other democratic rights protected by the Guatemalan Constitution. This illegitimate course of action threatens to place Guatemala outside the democratic community of nations. We strongly condemn such efforts to resolve Guatemala's problems through nondemocratic means. We hope the Guatemalan leadership will reverse its course and immediately restore full constitutional democracy.

Announcement for Posts at the National Railroad Passenger Corporation

May 25, 1993

The President today appointed Robert Kiley, the former chairman of New York's Metropolitan Transportation Authority, and former Ohio Congressman Don Pease to the Board of Directors of the National Railroad Passenger Corporation (AMTRAK). The appointments are effective immediately.

"Robert Kiley and Don Pease have both had long and distinguished careers in public service," said the President. "They both will make excellent additions to this important Board."

NOTE: Biographies of the appointees were made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

Announcement of Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology Administration

May 25, 1993

The President announced his intention today to nominate Dr. Mary Lowe Good, the senior vice president of Allied-Signal, Inc., to be Under Secretary of Commerce for Technology Administration.

"One of the central challenges that we face in the 1990's is making sure that our Nation's technological capacities are developed as fully as possible," said the President. "With a distinguished record of commercial research and of involvement with national technology policy, Dr. Good has what it takes to help ensure that Government does its part to make that happen."

NOTE: A biography of the nominee was made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.

Announcement of Ambassador to Zambia

May 25, 1993

The President today announced his intention to nominate Roland Karl Kuchel to be Ambassador to Zambia. Kuchel, a career foreign service officer, is currently Assistant to the Director General of the Foreign Service.

"I am very glad to be making this nomination," said the President. "Roland Kuchel has had a long and accomplished career in the Foreign Service."

NOTE: A biography of the nominee was made available by the Office of the Press Secretary.